



# Nebraska vs. Kansas State

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It's "out of the frying pan, into the fire" for the Cornhuskers tonight, as coach Joe Cipriano's crew has to come back from Saturday night's game with Big Eight pre-season favorite Oklahoma to play the winner of the last two conference titles as coach Jack Hartman's Kansas State Wildcats invade the Coliseum in their Baskin-Robbins uniforms. "We couldn't have had a much tougher way to open the conference season," Cipriano moans. "We opened with Kansas at Lawrence, then have to come home to play Oklahoma and Kansas State, the conference favorites and two teams that have always been able to win on the road."

The Huskers will be trying to break the Wildcats' four game strangle-hold dating back to Nebraska's come-from-behind 61-60 win in Lincoln two years ago. Since then, Hartman's Big Eight "dynasty" has claimed an 81-76 overtime win at Manhattan in the 1971-72 finale, clobbered the Huskers twice last year (82-55 in Lincoln and 97-70 at Manhattan to clinch a second straight league crown), then bombed the Huskers again, 68-47, in the opening round of the Big Eight tournament last month in Kansas City.

In that game, 6-9 senior forward Larry Williams was the Purple Pride's big gun with 18 points and 14 rebounds as K-State pulled away to a 38-21 halftime margin, then coasted to the win, limiting the Huskers to their lowest point total of the year. The Wildcats slipped the next night against Iowa State, 61-55, but came back to beat Colorado, 84-82 at the gun, for third place. They got a rough start in league play, dropping a 65-63 decision at Oklahoma, Jan. 12, in the opener, but bounced back two nights later to beat Oklahoma State at Stillwater, 72-69. The 'Cats were 9-5 over-

all and 1-1 in the league going into Saturday's key TV game at Manhattan against nationally-ranked, red-hot and surprising Missouri.

Hartman has indicated he'll start seniors Lon Kruger (5-11), 1973's Big Eight Player-of-the-Year, and Danny Beard (6-3) at the guards, and Williams and 6-8 freshman Dean Harris at the forwards. 6-8½ senior Gene McVey missed the Big Eight tournament, but is back in action now and is expected to start at the post against the Huskers. While McVey was gone, 6-9 sophomore Carl Gerlach filled in with a fine job.

The Huskers' starting lineup still isn't set as they get into the second half of the season. Jerry Fort, the Big Eight tournaments' leading scorer and an all-tourney selection, will probably be one guard, but the other spot appears to be up for grabs between 6-1 senior Tom Novak and 6-3 sophomore Ricky Marsh. The front line is almost entirely up for grabs, with freshmen Ron Taylor, Mark Enright, Bob Siegel and Rickey Harris, sophomore Larry Cox, junior Steve Erwin and senior Brendy Lee all prime contenders.

The Huskers head south this weekend for games with Oklahoma State at Stillwater, Saturday night, and Oklahoma at Norman, Monday night, then won't play again until a Feb. 5 home game with Iowa State.

## TONIGHT'S OFFICIALS

Bernie Saggau, Ron Spitler, Dick Sanders

# Kansas State

## 1973-74 SCHEDULE

87	Utah	82
77	Southern Methodist	61
71	Texas	63
66	Arizona State	71
105	Iowa	67
95	Brigham Young	85
72	Arizona	74
75	San Diego State	88
†68	Nebraska	47
†55	Iowa State	61
†84	Colorado	82
76	NE Missouri State	54
63	Oklahoma	65
72	Oklahoma State	69
70	Missouri	67
J 22	at Nebraska	
26	Iowa State	
F 2	Colorado	
4	Oklahoma State	
9	at Iowa State	
13	Kansas	
16	at Colorado	
23	Oklahoma	
26	at Missouri	
M 2	Nebraska	
6	at Kansas	

†Big Eight Tournament.

## ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Hometown
32	Anson, Steve	G	6-1	190	Soph.	Mishawaka, Ind.
30	*Beard, Danny	G	6-3	203	Sr.	Sparta, Ill.
43	*Gerlach, Carl	C-F	6-9	195	Soph.	Leawood, Kan.
42	Harris, Dean	F	6-8	188	Fr.	Edwardsville, Ill.
12	*Kruger, Lon	G	5-11	170	Sr.	Silver Lake, Kan.
50	*McVey, Gene	C	6-9	218	Sr.	Kismet, Kan.
21	Molinari, Jim	G	6-2	175	Fr.	Glen Ellyn, Ill.
40	Noland, Bobby	F	6-5	215	Soph.	Fayetteville, Ark.
31	*Snider, Doug	F	6-4	200	Jr.	Xenia, Ohio
10	Williams, Chuckie	G	6-3	185	Soph.	Columbus, Ohio
41	*Williams, Larry	F	6-9	216	Sr.	Hobbs, N.M.
51	Winston, Darryl	F	6-6	190	Fr.	Lovejoy, Ill.

\* Denotes lettermen.

**HEAD COACH**—Jack Hartman

**ASSISTANTS**—Chuck Garrett and Marvin Adams

**NICKNAME**—Wildcats

**COLORS**—Purple and White

# Nebraska

## 1973-74 SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Site	Time*
70	Wyoming	62	
77	Minn.-Duluth	50	
58	Vanderbilt	82	
65	Middle Tennessee	76	
78	Georgia State	75 (OT)	
67	NE Missouri State	54	
76	MacMurray	50	
73	Northern Iowa	55	
†47	Kansas State	68	
†69	Oklahoma State	62	
†66	Kansas	75	
58	Wichita State	66	
64	Kansas	79	
63	Oklahoma	58	
Jan. 22	Kansas State	H	7:35
Jan. 26	Oklahoma State	A	7:35
Jan. 28	Oklahoma	A	7:35
Feb. 5	Iowa State	H	7:35
Feb. 9	Missouri	H	7:35
Feb. 12	Colorado	A	8:35
Feb. 16	Missouri	A	7:35
Feb. 23	Oklahoma State	H	2:10
Feb. 26	Kansas	H	7:35
Mar. 2	Kansas State	A	7:35
Mar. 5	Colorado	H	7:35
Mar. 9	Iowa State	A	1:10

†Big Eight Tournament.  
\*All times Central Daylight.

## ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Age	Hometown (High School)
50	Chambers, Phil	G-F	6-6	170	Fr.	18	Denver, Colo. (East)
34	Coker, Fred (T)	G-F	6-5	190	Jr.	20	Redondo Beach, Calif. (Aviation)
40	Cox, Larry	F	6-6	201	Soph.	19	Denver, Colo. (Thomas Jefferson)
53	Enright, Mark	F-C	6-9	219	Fr.	18	Cedar Rapids, Iowa (Kennedy)
44	*Erwin, Steve	F	6-4	201	Jr.	21	Laurel, Neb.
12	Fitzsimmons, Gary	G	5-10	156	Fr.	19	Chamblee, Ga. (Peachtree)
14	*Fort, Jerry	G	6-3	170	Soph.	19	Chicago, Ill. (Hales Franciscan)
30	Harris, Rickey	F	6-7	170	Fr.	18	Denver, Colo. (Manual)
51	**Lee, Brendy	F-C	6-8	229	Sr.	21	Brush, Colo.
20	*Marsh, Ricky	G	6-3	180	Soph.	19	New York City (Jamaica)
32	**Novak, Tom	G	6-1	175	Sr.	21	Lincoln, Neb. (Northeast)
22	*Reckewey, Kent	G	6-1	156	Jr.	20	Lincoln, Neb. (East)
24	Seidel, Rick	G-F	6-7	189	Fr.	18	Sidney, Neb.
42	Siegel, Bob	G-F	6-7	221	Fr.	18	Fairbury, Neb.
54	Taylor, Ron	C	6-10	200	Fr.	18	Midland, Tex.

\*Denotes letters earned. (T)—Transfer from El Camino, Calif., Junior College.

**HEAD COACH**—Joe Cipriano

**ASSISTANTS**—Moe Iba and Lonnie Porter

**GRADUATE ASSISTANTS**—Al Nissen and John Breyer

**TRAINER**—Paul Schneider

# The Wildcats

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No.	Player	Field Goals	Free Throws	Fouls	T. Pts.
10	Chuckie Williams G	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	
12	*Lon Kruger G	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	
21	Jim Molinari G	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	
30	*Danny Beard G	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	
31	*Doug Snider F	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	
32	Steve Anson G	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	
40	Bobby Noland F	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	
41	*Larry Williams F	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	
42	Dean Harris F	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	
43	*Carl Gerlach, C-F	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	
50	*Gene McVey C	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	
51	Darryl Winston F	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	
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# The Cornhuskers

No.	Player	Field Goals	Free Throws	Fouls	T. Pts.
12	Gary Fitzsimmons G	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	
14	*Jerry Fort G	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	21
20	*Ricky Marsh G	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	6
22	*Kent Reckewey G	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	
24	Rick Seidel G-F	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	2
30	Rickey Harris F	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	
32	**Tom Novak G	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	12
34	Fred Coker G-F	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	
40	Larry Cox F	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	2
42	Bob Siegel G-F	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	
44	*Steve Erwin F	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	10
50	Phil Chambers G-F	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	
51	**Brendy Lee F-C	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	7
53	Mark Enright F-C	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	65
54	Ron Taylor C	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 2 3 4 5	



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